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Application           **10/666,425**  
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Application Title       **System and method for universal extensibility that supports a  
plurality of programmable logic controllers**  
Art Unit               **2194**  
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**REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the final Office Action (Paper No. 20080623) dated October 27, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

No amendments have been made to the specification text or drawings.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.